
**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Appl No.: 10/552, 667 Confirmation No. 7223
Applicant: William L. Johnson
Filed: June 21, 2006
Title: CONTINUOUS CASTING OF BULK SOLIDIFYING AMORPHOUS ALLOYS
TC/A.U.: 1793
Examiner: Kuang Y. Lin
Docket No.: L2:00575
Customer No.: 71897

April 1, 2009

MAIL TO: Mail Stop RCE

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

This application is **not** an application of the kind specified in 37 CFR § 1.114(e).

1. THE STATUS OF THE APPLICATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

- a. ☒ Pending (no review proceedings active)
- (1) ☒ An Action was mailed by the Office on December 15, 2008, as to which no appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed and
_____ a response under 37 CFR § 1.116 was mailed on
_____ via Express Mail
_____ with certificate of mailing under 37 CFR § 1.8
☒ that Action was a Final Rejection, the finality of which is to be withdrawn by this Request
_____ an appeal or civil action under 35 U.S.C. 141,145 or 146 has been terminated
- (2) _____ Allowed: the Notice of Allowance was mailed by the Office on
_____ the Issue Fee has not been paid
_____ the Issue Fee has been paid **and** a petition under 37 CFR § 1.313 was granted on
- b. _____ Pending (with review proceeding active)
An appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed. Applicant(s) hereby withdraw that appeal and request reopening of the prosecution of the application.

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2. SUBMISSION(S) REQUIRED (check at least one)

a. Previously submitted

- ☐ Consider the amendments/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on _____
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- ☐ Other: _____

b. Enclosed

- ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Documents under 37 CFR § 1.48
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Other: _____

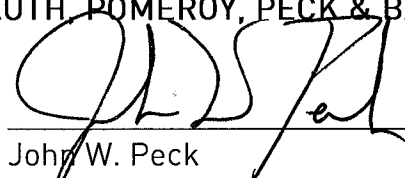
The Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned promptly following receipt and initial review of the application in light of the Submissions(s) for the conduct of, or the scheduling of, a telephone interview in the application.

Please direct all correspondence to **CUSTOMER NUMBER 71897**. Direct telephone calls to 949.852.0000, **KAUTH, POMEROY, PECK & BAILEY LLP**, 2875 Michelle Drive, Suite 110, Irvine, CA 92606.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
FEE CALCULATION SHEET**

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PART I — BASIC FEE			
BASIC FEE	Small Entity \$405.00	Large Entity \$810.00	\$405.00

PART II — ADDITIONAL CLAIMS (compared to application before RCE)						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims	20	*22	0	x \$26	0 x \$52	\$0
Independent Claims	1	**3	0	x \$110	0 x \$220	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$195.00	\$390	
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE						\$0
List Independent Claims: 1						
* IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER OF TOTAL CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE.						
** IF THE HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID OR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.						

1. FEES (The RCE fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)
 - a. Amount (total from Fee Calculation Sheet): \$405.00 will be paid via CREDIT CARD